

February, 2010

Potato Creek State Park

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NATURURALIST: Tim Cordell, Marie H.

PLEASE NOTE: Programs are free of charge (except as noted) and open to the public after paying the park admission fee.

FEBRUARY 1-15 CANADA GOOSE CHECK STATION 11am-3pm Mon, Wed, Fri-Sun
MEET: NATURE CENTER PARKING LOT



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2010



10-4 **SCIENCE ALIVE** – Come see Potato Creek's hands-on display at the St Joseph County Library's 18th Annual Science Alive at the main library in South Bend. For more information visit: <http://sjcpl.lib.in.us/sciencealive/>



10:00 a.m. **OWL PELLET INVESTIGATION** - Learn about the owls of the area and then dissect an owl pellet to see what they eat. 40 min **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**

3:30 p.m. **FEEDING TIME** - Come to the nature center to watch the animals being fed. 30 minutes.
MEET: NATURE CENTER

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2010

3:30 p.m. **WEBS OF INTRIGUE** – Come learn about spiders in this fascinating video. 1 hour.
MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2010

10:00 a.m. **BIRD ID BASICS** - Pick up a few tips on bird identification and then try it out at our bird feeder observation window. 1 hour **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**

3:30 p.m. **FEEDING TIME** - Come to the nature center to watch the animals being fed. 30 minutes.
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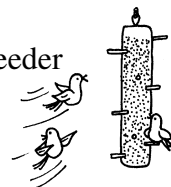
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2010



2-4 p.m. **GREAT BACKYARD BIRD COUNT** - Come participate in this national bird feeder count and pick up some tips on how to attract birds to YOUR backyard.



MEET: NATURE CENTER



TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2010

7:00 p.m. **FRIENDS MEETING – AN ALASKAN ADVENTURE** - Karen Watson will share highlights of their trip to Alaska. Bring a snack to share and get involved!



MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2010

- 10:00 a.m. REPTILE REVIEW** - Learn a little about our native reptiles and then meet one up close and personal. 45 minutes. **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**
- 2:00 p.m. FEEDING TIME** - Come to the nature center to watch the animals being fed. 30 minutes. **MEET: NATURE CENTER**

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2010

- 2:00 p.m. INDIANA STATE PARKS** - Come celebrate Indiana's State Parks as you watch this new video that showcases the natural beauty of all the beautiful parks of our state and learn how they were first started. 1 hour. **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2010

- 10:00 a.m. BUDS N' BARK** - You don't have to have leaves to put a name to a tree. Come learn how fun winter tree I.D. can be! 45 min **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**
- 2:00 p.m. JEOP-BIRDY** - Come sit back, relax, warm up, and... test your bird IQ while we play this game like they do on TV. A non-monetary prize will be given to the winner or winning team! 45 minutes. **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2010

- 2:00 p.m. JEWELS OF BLUE** - Learn a little about bluebirds from this video as we anticipate spring. 45 minutes. **MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM**

February Nature Center Hours (Eastern Time)

Saturdays: 9:00 AM – 5:00 p.m. Sundays: Noon - 5:00 p.m. Weekdays: 11am - 3 p.m.
Closed Tuesdays & Thursdays and February 17 & 24th